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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. one ✓

Part B for Dec 48.

SUBJECT

Special Rates of T. A and D. A to Joint Secretary. Mysore State Refugee Relief Committee. Bangalore.

issues letter No 42-10/CB. dated 16th Dec 48. to the Joint Secretary. Mr. S. R. R. Committee directing that Govt regret they cannot comply with his request in sanctioning the special rates of T. A and D. A admissible to members of the L. C.

SR Rao
16/3.

(182) Rates of T. A. and D. A. of Joint Secretary

General and Revenue Secretariat

Joint File No. of 1934 S. R.

Serial No.

D. O. Letter no. 1622/[illegible] D/- 24. 11. 34 from the Joint Secretary, M. S. R. R. Committee, Bangalore.

(1) Noting of the Chief Secretary on the P. U. D. "Sent direct. These references should always come thro' proper channel."

(Sd). K. S. 25/11

(Sd) K. M. R. 26/11/34

(2) Submitted.

Formerly, when there was a Commissioner for Refugees, such representations used to come through him. Now there is no Commissioner, and all important communications from the Refugee Relief Committee are being received from the Chairman, whereas routine papers come through the Joint Secretary.

(3) The representation could have been sent to Government through the Chairman.

(4) The Joint Secretary requests that Special rates of D. A. and T. A allowed to

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Members of the R. A. and the Legislative Council, and to the Members* of the Refugee Committee, may be allowed to her during the period she was incharge of the duties of Commissioner of Refugees.

(5) Rates of T. A. and D. A. to Members of various Committees are fixed by Special G. O's as the Members of these Committees are mostly Non-Officials. But Govt. Servants are bound by the Mysore Service Regulations and the rates of T. A. and D. A. are fixed for them in Art 479 M. S. R according to their class and salary.

It is seen from the G. O. No. S. D. 6357-59/A 91-46-14 dt/28.2.48 cited in the P. U. D, that the rates of T. A. and D. A sanctioned to her for Distress Relief Work in connection with

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the Famine Relief ... emergency, has been sanctioned as a Special case.

(7) No such emergency had occasioned her tour to Chikmagalur and Mysore to warrant such a Special treatment. Moreover, the Commissioner himself had toured to Mysore etc, and No Special G. O. has issued in his case.

(8) The grant of Special Concession to any one Officer, is bound to cause an inconvenient precedent, inviting representations from many others for according them similar Special treatment.

(9) For being in charge of the Commr's duties, the Officer has been granted Charge All.ce

(10) The request of the Fl. Secy. for Special Rates of T. A. and D. A. is for orders.

(11) The Fin. Sectt. may be consulted.

29/11/41 Sd/- 29.11.41.

Special Rates of T.A. and D. of 1944 to Tamil Nadu

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(12) Please put up the file leading to the G.O. No. S.D. 6357-59 A 91-46-14 dated 28th Feb. 1948.

Sent. Requisition sent to Food Lttr. dtd 30/11

Scanned 30.11.48.

(13) Submitted. The Collection File 91-46 is placed below. It is seen from para 7 * of File 91-46 that the circumstances under which the Special rates were sanctioned were on account of an assurance given by the then Diwan, and because of the very strenuous nature of work at a critical and difficult period, when certain parts of the State were on the verge of famine.

Such circumstances, warranting Special Consideration are not forthcoming in the present case. Reference paras 7 and 8 supra.

For orders.

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sending of the representation [illegible] to Govt. The position is explained in paras 2 and 3 of the notes and the letter in question could have been sent to Govt through the Chairman of the Committee.

(16) Being a permanent officer in service Srimathi Lakshmi P. Krishnappa is only entitled to the rates of travelling allowance admissible under Art. 479, M.S.R. She was as a special case, allowed to draw the rates of travelling allowance admissible to a member of the Legislature Council in connection with the work of opening demonstration Kitchens in rural areas of the distress districts. The circumstances leading to the grant of this concession to this officer are contained in the minute of the Chief Minister dated 22-2-48 in para 7 of the notes in the file No S.D/A. 96-46-(13+14). [illegible] Such special circumstances do not appear to exist in connection with the journeys now referred to and consequently the special rates of T.A. cannot

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Note.—Contn. Sheet

(482) Spl rates of D.A. and T.A. to the Joint Secy.

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perhaps be sanctioned to the new. For orders if the officer may be informed that the request cannot be complied with.

(Chief Secy) DemR 3.12.48

(17) I agree. For order.

KS. 3/12

(Hon'ble Home Minister / Hon'ble Fl. Secy.) DemR 4/12/48

(18) 5/12/48

(19) 6/12

12/12

Submitted

(20) KS 13/12 DemR 14/12/48

(21) Draft letter put up for approval

14/12

(Gen Secy)

(22) DemR 15/12/48

(23) 15

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Attached no 4218-19/CB dt 16.12.48 to the Tamil Secy and the Chairman, M.A.R.R. Committee

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Srimati. Lakshmy P.Krishnappa,
B.A., L.T.
Joint Secretary,
Mysore State Refugee Relief Committee.
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CB

Bangalore, dated 24th Nov. 1948.

Dear Sir,

Subject: Rate of T.A. and D.A.

I write to invite kind reference to G.O. No. S.D-6357-59/A. 91-46-14 dated 28-2-48 (copy enclosed) conveying sanction for the payment of T.A. and D.A. at the rates admissible to a member of the Mysore Legislative Council in respect of the journey performed by me in connection with the work of opening demonstration kitchen in rural areas of the distress districts. Now since February 15th, I have been the Joint Secretary of the Refugee Relief Committee and from 23rd of the same month I was in-charge Commissioner of Refugees for about a period of six months besides my regular duties as Organising Secretary, Red Cross Society.

In this connection I had occasion to go to Chickmagalur and Mysore to organise District Committees, to study the requirements of the refugees and afford them such amenities as this office used to do.

In the circumstances, I request that in respect of the journey performed by me during incharge period the sanction accorded in the enclosed Government order may be continued now also.

Further it may be stated that the members of the Committee have been granted the same .

Yours Sincerely,

Lakshmy P. Krishnappa
25/11/48

Sri. K. Srinivasan, B.Sc.,
Chief Secretary to Govt.,
Bangalore.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVT. OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

R e a d:

1. Govt. Order No. SD. 2044-46/A 91-46-2 dated 27/28th August1946, sanctioning the rates of Travelling Allowance andD.A. which are admissible to an officer of Government to Mrs. Lakshmy P. Krishnappa, for her journeys in connection with the work of opening demonstration kitchen in rural areas of the distress Districts.

2. Correspondence ending with letter No. B-4.C.3861 46-47 dated 13th January 1948 from the Director of Food Supplies in Mysore, forwarding the representation of Mrs. Lakshmy P. Krishnappa and requesting sanction for the payment of Travelling Allowance and Daily Allowance at the rates admissible to a member of the Mysore Legislative Council.

Order No. SD. 6357-59/A 91-46-14, Bangalore, dated 28th February 1948.

Sanctioned as a special case.

Sd/- G.V.K. Rao,
For Secretary to Government,
Food Department.

" Copy "

Lakshmy P Krishnappa
JOINT SECRETARY, 25/11/48
Mysore State Refugee Relief Committee,
Bangalore.

MP
25/11

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G.O. No. 3723-83—C.B. 148-47-1, dated Bangalore, the 15th December 1947.

"The Mysore State Refugee Relief Committee.

Passes orders constituting the——.

Questions relating to refugees and evacuees from Pakistan have been engaging the attention of Government for some time past. More than two months ago, in response to the appeal made by the Government of India, Government offered to absorb in the State, five thousand Non-Muslim refugees from the Punjab and other areas and to provide employment for them for about two years in channel excavation work, which, although not due to be taken up this year, would be sanctioned, as a special case. Government have in hand a scheme to accommodate these refugees in camps near the site of the Lakkavalli Reservoir in the north-western part of the State and to employ them for a period of about two years in channel excavation work. Government are still in correspondence with the Government of India in the matter, and it is hoped that, if a measure of assistance asked for from the Central Government in connection with the erection and maintenance of the camp is forthcoming immediately, the other arrangements could be worked out and completed well in time to receive the first batch of 100 families of refugees at the camp by the 1st January 1948.

In a Press Communique issued on the 24th November 1947, Government have appealed for the co-operation of all voluntary organizations in the State for launching a State-wide campaign for the collection of cash contributions, warm clothing and blankets for the benefit of refugees. The response to the appeal has been most gratifying. There are many organizations such as—The Mysore State Women's Conference, the Punjab Hindu-Sikh Relief Fund, Bangalore, the Scindhi Association, the Jain Association, the Rotary Club, Bangalore and others who are already doing most valuable work, collecting funds by arranging for meetings and benefit performances and by other means, getting ready quilts and blankets, and distributing knitting wool for making warm garments for refugee children. There have also been many generous offers of help from individuals—notably from certain philanthropic gentlemen of Chickmagalur District who have signified their intention to afford relief to refugee families. The Punjab Hindu-Sikh Relief Fund, Bangalore, have also submitted a scheme for settling some ten thousand refugee families in the State partly in industrial colonies in the suburbs of Bangalore, Mysore, Bhadravati, Hassan and other towns, where selected refugees could be helped to organize with their resources, talent or experience small-scale industries for producing cutlery, sports goods, scientific instruments, hospital equipment, etc., and partly in cottage industries and in canal irrigation work in specially allotted areas in the Mysore, Mandya and Shimoga Districts.

Government wish to place on record their high appreciation of the practical sympathy and enthusiasm shown by these and other individuals and organisations in the State—in affording succour and finding employment for the refugees to the extent possible. It is obvious, however, that, in order to obtain maximum results, it is of the first importance to bring the various individuals and organizations engaged in this work under a single central organization which would canalise all available resources and efforts into a regular, well-thought-out and comprehensive system of relief and rehabilitation.

Meanwhile, there has been an influx of refugees and evacuees into the State from Northern India. While their exact number cannot be ascertained until a system of refugee registration is introduced, there is evidence to show that between 1,500 to 2,000 persons consisting of families from Sind, the Punjab, the North-West Frontier Province and Hyderabad (Deccan) have arrived in Bangalore City, including the Civil Station. This influx is continuing. The effects of this influx on an already overcrowded City and ultimately on the economy of the State may

be far-reaching and have to be carefully examined. It is clear, therefore, that the time has come for a planned approach to the refugee problem and that it is necessary to draw up a scheme for a balanced distribution of refugees to areas which can easily absorb them, without much dislocation of existing conditions.

The refugee problem is both complex and many-sided. The refugees comprise various classes of people with widely differing financial resources and their relief cannot be effected on any uniform pattern. Much classification and planning will be necessary. Barring people accustomed to heavy manual labour whom it is perhaps easy to absorb in labour units—as has been contemplated above—there are likely to be a large number of people from urban areas whose absorption even for a temporary period would raise difficult economic problems. It would be necessary to take a rapid census or, as has been suggested, make a rapid sample enquiry regarding the different types of refugees and of the several classes of employment in which they can be suitably and profitably settled and thus to obtain some primary data on which future plans can be based. Administratively, the problem is one of evolving an efficient machinery for organizing refugee camps, of affording immediate relief, of finding some temporary occupation of one to three years' duration and of co-ordinating official and non-official effort. Financially, it is one of ascertaining the extent of relief—short range and long range—to be given, of working out the financial cost involved and of finding the ways and means to meet the cost.

It is needless to stress that a task of this complexity and magnitude requiring the goodwill and co-operation of voluntary workers and organizations at every stage cannot be undertaken by Government unaided. Government feel that they should have the benefit of the advice and guidance of an influential committee representing the various interests concerned and are accordingly pleased to appoint the following committee to be known as "The Mysore State Refugee Relief Committee."

Chairman.

Dharmaprakasa L. S. Venkaji Rao.

Members.

1. Mr. S. L. Mannaji Rao.
2. *Dharmaprakasa* Devarao Shivaram.
3. Dr. A. M. Patel.
4. Mr. S. V. Sreenivasa Setti.
5. Mr. K. R. Madhava Rao.
6. Mr. S. Chenniah.
7. Mr. T. C. Basappa.
8. Mr. H. S. Rudrappa.
9. Mr. V. S. Krishna Aiyar.
10. Mr. H. Kapur.
11. Mr. D. H. Kohly.
12. Seth Mutha Chhaganmal.
13. Mr. Ramanarayan Chellaram.
14. Mrs. E. V. Ganapathi Iyer.
15. Mr. D. N. Hosali.
16. Mr. O. Gopalan.
17. Sri. Kamaladevi.
18. Mr. Channappiah Wodeyar.
19. Mr. K. Henjarappa.
20. Mr. G. Thimmappa Gowda.
21. Mr. A. G. Bandigowda.
22. Mr. K. Pattabhiraman.
23. Mrs. Natarajan.
24. Mr. M. L. Nanjaraja Urs.
25. Mr. Khanmall Munilal.
26. Mrs. A. S. R. Chari.
27. Seth Purushotham Sing L. Bajaj.

Secretary.

Mr. K. P. Ramanathaiya.

Assistant Secretary.

Mrs. Lakshmi P. Krishnappa.

Treasurer.

Mr. B. V. Narayana Reddy.
Manager, Bank of Mysore, Bangalore.

The Committee will have power to appoint sub-committees to deal with particular branches of work.

Government hope that the Committee will meet immediately and consider the various measures required to deal with the refugee problem so far as it pertains to the State.

The functions of the Committee will be as follows :—

(1) To advise Government on the desirability or otherwise of registering evacuees and refugees entering the State and conducting a sample enquiry.

(2) To submit a workable plan of relief to refugees and evacuees of various kinds.

(3) To suggest measures necessary for registration of claims of property left or lost in Pakistan by refugees.

(4) To co-operate with Government in running the proposed refugee camp near the site of the Lakkavalli Reservoir, or other refugee camps which may be opened.

(5) To organize with the aid of Deputy Commissioners, local relief committees and collection depots.

(6) To organize collections for the Refugee Relief fund by meetings, entertainments and other means.

(7) To assist in the making and despatch of gifts in kind.

(8) To enlist volunteers and workers.

(9) Generally to advise Government on all matters which may be referred to them regarding the relief and rehabilitation of refugees.

Government propose to appoint a whole-time officer to be in-charge of the arrangements required in connection with the accommodation and relief of refugees, including the running of the refugee camp at the site of the Lakkavalli Reservoir, and to assist the Refugee Relief Committee as *Ex-officio* Secretary to the Committee. Orders will issue separately regarding the officer posted for this work.

All Deputy Commissioners of Districts, Heads of Departments and other Government Officers concerned are requested to render assistance and afford facilities to the Committee in carrying out their work.

V. VEDAVYASACHARYA,

Chief Secretary to Government.

To—The Heads of Departments.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Secretaries to Government.
The Compiler, *Mysore Gazette.*
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No. 6218-19/CB 2(16)-120CB

To The Joint Secy.
The M. S. R. R. Committee
Bhopal

Madam,

Subject- Rates of T. A. and D. A.

With ref. to your letter no. 1628/48 D/ 24. 11. 48 requesting to sanction you the special rates of T. A. and D. A. admissible to members of the Legislative Council, during the period you were in charge of the Office of Commissioner of Refugee, I am directed to state that Govt. regret they cannot comply with your

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request.

yours faithfully

Sd/- Gen. Ley.
14/12/48

Memo 42109/GS dtd 16-12-48

Copy w/c to the Chairman,
M.S.R.R. Committee for information.

For Gen. Ley
14/12/48

Sd/-
14.12.48.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No 4218 /C.B. *Dated Bangalore,* 16th Decr. *194* 8.

FROM

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
General Department.

To

The Joint Secretary,
The Mysore State Refugee Relief Committee,
Bangalore.

~~Sir,~~ Madam

Subject:- Rates of T.A. and D.A.

With reference to your D.O.letter No.1628/48, dated, 24-11-48 requesting to sanction you the special rates of T.A. and D.A. admissible to members of the Legislative Council, during the period you were in charge of the Office of Commissioner of Refugees, I am directed to state that Government regret they cannot comply with your request.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- Md. Ismail Sheriff,

Secretary to Government,
General Department.

Memo No. 4218 /C.B. D/16.12.48

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Chairman, Mysore State Refugee Relief Committee, Bangalore for information.

O/c

16/12/48

Secretary to Government,
General Department.